

BAXTER SPRINGS NEWS.

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NUMBER 10.

Another Car Load of the celebrated Kelley & Lisle Flour just in at Dent's.

The first car sold in less than two weeks. This is the best flour made. Every sack guaranteed.

Dent's Cash Grocery.

LOWELL NEWS.

Cyrus Moore and family have returned to Lowell.

Miss Nannie Newman of Columbus has returned to Lowell to visit her mother.

Singing was held at Amur Ewars Sunday night.

The teamsters of Lowell are in a great stir about getting ready to be on time to grade on the Morgan hill on which a force of seventeen teams is at work.

Fred Boner went to Galena Sunday afternoon.

School will soon be out and we expect the children will be glad.

The Blackjack school has been closed on the account of the black smallpox.

The Joplin board of health has ordered everybody in that city vaccinated—and the order applies to everybody living within five miles of Joplin. Smallpox is quite thick in Joplin.

Charles Starkey, a miner, living at Empire City, was found dead Monday morning on the road leading from Empire to Chitwood. His team ran away while Mr. Starkey was on his way to his work and he was thrown onto rocks, head foremost. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

R. P. Sharpe of Indianapolis has opened an office in this city. Mr. Sharpe will occupy the quarters of the Baxter Mining Company and will deal in mines and mining investments. He is a hustler, comes well recommended and will do our district a lot of good. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Aver Hill, a well known miner of Galena, was killed west of that city Sunday night. The Afton "Bob" train cut Hill's head off, but the officers think the man had been killed and placed on the track so that the train would obliterate all traces of the crime. An investigation is being made.



DENTIST!

Dr. Higgins of Kansas City, Mo., has opened a branch dental office upstairs over the Baxter Hardware Store in Baxter Springs, and is prepared to do all kinds of high class dental work at reasonable prices. Full set of teeth as low as \$6. His specialty is crown and bridge work and gold filling at moderate prices. See his fine sample case, read his circulars, call at once and get the benefit of special low prices to all who call this week. 29 years in active practice. All work warranted.

TO THE VOTERS OF BAXTER SPRINGS.

Baxter Springs, Kans., March 23, '05. We, the undersigned, who were nominated at a caucus held at the City Hall on Tuesday evening, March 21st, for the respective offices named, declare our attitude upon certain questions of interest to all our citizens; we therefore state that if we are elected we will stand for:

1st. A wide-awake, progressive administration of the affairs of the city, in keeping with its present and developing needs; having at all times due regard for its financial abilities, making no excessive expenditures, but managing its financial affairs so that the city may get the maximum of good from the smallest expenditure consistent with the city's needs;

2nd. The carrying out of the provisions of the Johnston will so that our people may enjoy the benefits of a public library, open to the public at reasonable hours, at a minimum expense;

3rd. That the laws be enforced as to saloons or "joints";

4th. The best service to the people of Baxter Springs of which we are capable.

W. T. HARTLEY, For Mayor.

T. J. MORROW, For Councilman, First Ward.

E. C. GAINES, For Councilman, Second Ward.

T. E. MEEDS, For Councilman, Third Ward.

E. A. MAPES, Police Judge.

We endorse the above:

T. B. McELHINEY,

O. M. YOUSE.

3300 DOZEN IN ONE DAY.

Jim DeMoss, our popular poultry, egg and fur buyer, bought on Tuesday of this week 3300 dozen eggs. Think of it—36,000 eggs.

Wives, bring your husbands to my big millinery opening.

MRS. IDA SMITH.

The Baxter State Bank will be opened for business in a few days. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Sam King has moved his family here from Chanute. They occupy the Perkins residence on Cedar and East streets. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Nobody had the nerve to run against Will Hartley for mayor, so he has a plumber's cinch, commonly called "lead pipe." Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

A whole lot of rain we are getting these days is not needed. It is throwing the farmers behind with their spring work. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

BUY THE BEST. I will sell you shoes that will wear and give satisfaction. It don't pay to buy poor footwear. Therefore, see my line. Will have in a nice line of slippers in a few days.

FRANK PIERCE.

There will be an entertainment given at the city hall, Tuesday evening, April 11, for the benefit of the bell fund of the Presbyterian church. A fine program is being prepared. Admission, adults 15c, children 10c. Ice-cream and cake will be served afterwards—10c extra.

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Apply at once to Mrs. J. A. McCune.

Did you ever go to Joplin and get drunk and preach prohibition the next day? Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Onion sets at Dent's.

Seed potatoes at Dent's.

Dr. English. Phone 189.

Mapes, Photographer.

Three-room house and 3 nice lots, \$800. Daniels & Plumb.

Don't fail to see the \$20.00 Hat at my big millinery opening.

MRS. IDA SMITH.

T. J. Morrow went to Kansas City last night. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

J. C. Haskett is in St. Louis buying goods. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Farmers call at postoffice book store for your rural free delivery mail boxes.

Mrs. W. H. Harour is in Kansas City on business. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Mrs. Geo. Girtlen of Kansas City is here visiting Mrs. J. C. Haskett. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

W. C. Berry has bought the Beach property in the north part of town. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Get your horse and jack cards printed at this office. We have the finest stock of cuts in Southwest Kansas.

Both ladies and gentlemen are invited to our big millinery opening Friday and Saturday.

MRS. IDA SMITH.

Charlie Craney and E. T. McCarthy went to Kansas City Tuesday night. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

If you are not able to buy or build now you should at least secure a lot. Daniels & Plumb have some of the nicest residence lots in town. Cheap.

Onion sets at Dent's.

Don't Forget!

Big Millinery Opening
Friday and Saturday,
March 31 and April 1

Everything in Hats and Millinery—the latest creations—Newest styles—Best of trimmings.

This will be the greatest millinery opening ever held in Baxter Springs. You must not fail to be on hand
MRS. IDA SMITH

S. J. Armstrong is certainly the early worm in the garden business this year. One day last week he sold \$1200 worth of young onions and horse radish. Vote "yes" on the library.

Seed potatoes at Dent's.

The News job department has printed horse and jack cards the last few days for P. B. White, James Murphy, Chas. Stoner and B. W. Harbour. We have the best stock cuts in the county and our prices are reasonable.

Mrs. Gaines and daughter, Miss Margaret, returned Monday evening from a several weeks stay in the Isle of Pines. Miss Gaines owns some land in the Isle of Pines. They spent some time in Cuba and Florida, and are glad they escaped the severe winter. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

A MATTER OF HEALTH

ROYAL

BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure
HAS NO SUBSTITUTE

WALLPAPER!

Our new stock of 1905 patterns is in and ready for your inspection. It is the largest in the county and we discount the prices of all competitors.

Morrow-Carney Drug Co.



**CARHARTT
BRAND**

of Men's Working Clothing is the perfect brand. This is why we are exclusive agents in Baxter Springs. Ours is a perfect store. You are invited to call. Our callers become satisfied customers.

J. M. COOPER & CO.
BAXTER SPRINGS, KAS.

WORK ON ROAD BEGINS.

Muskogee, I. T., March 28.—Work began yesterday on the new line of the Missouri, Oklahoma & Gulf railroad from Corretta, the Missouri Pacific junction just north of Muskogee, towards Joplin. The general superintendent, Mr. Peyerlinghaus, says that the new line will be completed to Wagoner in ninety days and that within the year it will be completed to Joplin. This is the same line that is building from Muskogee southwest through the territory to Dennison.

A SANITARIUM.

Arrangements are being made for the building of a big sanitarium here. A deal is under way for the ground necessary, and the parties back of the deal have all the money necessary to insure its success.

J. O. Avey of Cherryvale was in Baxter Springs this week visiting relatives. Mr. Avey "as is well known to the people here, is an up-to-date grocer, and is doing an enormous business at Cherryvale. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Don't fail to vote "yes" on the library proposition. There being no competition on the city ticket, you may be indifferent about going to the polls. Don't fail to vote. The library proposition is important.

There is a warm spot in our heart for Galena these days. Galena has smallpox these days, but the authorities of that town are doing all in their power to stamp it out, even to the extent of asking people to stay away from there. This is right, and the action of the officials should be commended in the very highest terms. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Carney have removed from the Perkins property on River street to their own home on Sheridan street. F. S. Greene and family will occupy the Perkins property. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Mrs. Meyerding will have a swell restaurant when she opens it to the public. Workmen are busy cleaning up and decorating the room. New fixtures have been ordered and everything will be first class. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Cherry & Eastham has been dissolved by mutual consent, Mr. Eastham retiring from the firm. Mr. Cherry is to pay all bills due by the firm, and Mr. Eastham will collect all accounts due the firm. He can be found at Michener's hardware.

W. M. CHERRY.
M. H. EASTHAM.

March 21, 1905.

T. E. Meeds shipped a car load of fat hogs to Joplin Tuesday. He shipped a car to Joplin a short time ago. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

The ladies of the Christian church will serve ice-cream and cake Saturday afternoon and evening, April 1. First door north of Armstrong's barber shop.

Bob Ping and George Rains have locked horns over the mayorship in Galena. Either one of them will make Galena a good mayor. Vote "yes" on the library ballot.

A. C. Craney of this city has secured a contract to build 147 miles of railroad from Little Rock south toward the Louisiana line. Vote "yes" on the library.

Fifty Years the Standard

**DR. PRICE'S
CREAM
BAKING
POWDER**

Made from pure cream of tartar derived from grapes.

PRICE BAKING POWDER CO.
CHICAGO.